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## TOWN BORROWS \$400,000 AT .07%

Warrant Opened for Annual Town Meeting. Coasting Regulations Fixed.

Town Treasurer Charles A. Hardy has borrowed \$400,000 in anticipation of revenue, the Second National Bank of Boston being awarded the business at the extremely low discount rate of .07% plus one dollar. Other bidders were the National Shawmut Bank at .096%, and the First National Bank at .11%. The selectmen signed the

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## To Lecture on Brazil To First Baptist Men

The Men's Class of the First Baptist church will meet Sunday at 12 noon, at which time a guest speaker will address the meeting. Men not attending church services at this hour are cordially invited to be present.

President Karl M. Place and his committee are planning an interest-

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## To Explain Townsend Plan at Town Hall

Abnormally high taxes which will have to be paid within a few years



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under the Social Security Act, could

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## Annual Meeting Next Wednesday of Hts. Improvement

Next Wednesday night at 8 p. m. January 10th, the Arlington Heights Improvement Association will hold its annual meeting at the Brackett School Hall on Eastern Avenue. All members, as well as any interested residents of Arlington, are invited to attend.

This association of Arlington residents starts off the new year by meeting with its board of directors, not only to hear the reports of the directors and officers, but to enjoy an evening of entertainment and refreshments.

After a year of major growth in which a series of improvements

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## WILL OPEN EIGHT HOMES FOR F. OF D. ANNUAL BRIDGE

The annual bridge party sponsored by the Arlington Friends of the Drama will be held at the homes of eight different members this year instead of at the clubhouse as was the former custom. The party will be held Friday evening, January 26, under the general chairmanship of Mr. and Mrs. Chester Ginder.

As tickets are sold by the sub-

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### Later

The Menotomy Trust Company is not opening its doors until nine o'clock mornings these days to conform with working hours regulations. Formerly the bank was open at eight o'clock in the morning. The alternative of cutting an hour off every working day was selected in preference to remaining closed Saturday evenings.

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## FRIENDS COUPLE LAUGHS & CHILLS IN NEXT SHOWING

Local Drama Club to Give Wood's New Thriller with One-Act Comedy on January 12 & 13.

The Friends of the Drama will start the new year next week by presenting two one-act plays on Friday and Saturday evenings, January 12 and 13. Designed to please all tastes, the program offers decided contrast with "Ladies in Linen," a clever comedy by Albert Baker and "Guns Can't Think," a tingling melodrama which Parker Wood has adapted for the stage from a Saturday Evening Post story.

In spite of their contrast, the

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## Augustus, Jr.

Augustus Mazzocca, famous Arlington trumpet player, teacher and bandmaster, has been putting on a strutting exhibition that would put any of his drum-majorettes to shame ever since Tuesday, for on that day at the Boston Lying-In Hospital his wife presented him with a fine 8 1/2-pound son, his first. To anyone else, the birth of a son is a big event, but to Mr. Mazzocca, the father of seven daughters, lovely as they may be, the arrival of a son represents the saga of a lifetime. When asked for the man-child's name, the excited father bellowed, "Augustus, Jr.! What do you think?"

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## Kidders Celebrate 61st Anniversary

Neighbors and long-time friends of Mr. and Mrs. Henry A. Kidder remembered that December thirty-first was their sixty-first wedding anniversary, and showered them with telegrams and lovely flowers. Their home on Addison street was bright with these tokens of love and respect for Mr. and Mrs. Kidder, who for many years have held an important place in this community, especially in the Orthodox Con-

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## Men Teachers' Club Give Xmas Baskets

The Christmas Basket Committee of the Arlington Men Teachers club has reported a very successful year. The club was able to take care of twice as many baskets as it did in 1938. The committee consists of Gerard Kemp, (chairman) High School; Robert Thompson, Junior High East; John Bradley, Junior High West.

## HIT-RUN DRIVER CAUGHT BY ARLINGTON MINISTER

Rev. G. A. Butters, Pastor of Local Calvary Methodist Church, Chases Tipsy Speeder in Leominster Minister's Car.

Rev. George A. Butters had the misfortune to have his car struck by a hit-and-run driver last Monday night while visiting friends in Saxonville. A neighbor who witnessed the collision secured the number of the speeding driver, and Mr. Butters and the Rev. Newton Clay of Leominster, chased the car in Mr. Clay's automobile. They caught up with the car, which was from out of state, and followed it until the driver put in to a service station for repairs for his damaged car. The State Troopers were called who took charge of the damaged cars and the drunken driver.

Mr. Butters' car was parked at the time it was hit, and no one was injured. The driver of the other car was fined \$50 for driving under the influence of liquor and given a two weeks suspended sentence for leaving the scene of an accident without making himself known.

## ARLINGTON POLICE CATCH FUGITIVE WANTED BY FEDS.

"Floater" Steals Camera from Heights Drug Store, Nabbed by Scout Car Officers Riley and Duggan.

## Hastings Entertain For Senator Bridges

Mr. and Mrs. G. Arthur Hastings received many friends at their charming home, 37 Robbins road, Friday evening, from five o'clock until seven-thirty. Senator Stiles

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A "floater" with long criminal record was arrested Monday evening by Officers Riley and Duggan of the Arlington police department after he had stolen a camera from the Menotomy Drug store at the Heights. The man gave his name as William Keefe, age 45, and his address as a Salvation Army shelter in Boston.

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## POST 39 AUXILIARY GIVE JOY TO MANY NEEDY CHILDREN

Under the auspices of the American Legion Auxiliary to Post 39, a Christmas Party was held at 9 Court street for twenty children, all of whom were very grateful for the toys and games they received. Some of these children had never been to a party before.

The afternoon was spent by playing games, and prizes were won by some of the children who performed, by singing, reciting and dancing.

A peanut hunt took place and caused much hilarity. Then the

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## Arlington People Figure Prominently In School Election

Arlington young people figured prominently in the election of new officers for the alumni association of the Cambridge School of Liberal Arts at the annual alumni reunion held Wednesday evening of last week in the laboratory building of the school, at 49 Washington avenue, Cambridge.

The successful candidate for the office of vice-president was Miss Jean Ottley, daughter of Mr. and

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### Book Review

Alice Dixon Bond will give another in her series of book reviews at St. John's parish house next Wednesday morning at ten o'clock, the book this time being "Land Below the Wind" by Agnes Newton Keith, winner of the Atlantic \$5,000 prize.

## Aldrich-Hackett Dance Pupils Enjoy Pre-New Year Formal

Frances Aldrich and Doris Hackett School of Dance and Drama held their pre-New Year formal for their ballroom classes on Friday evening, December 29, at 31 Bonad road. Mrs. Miller, Mrs. Carl Lo Cascio and Mrs. James Sherman were the hostesses. In various competition and elimination dances prizes were won by Doris Scott, Betty Sherman, Evelyn Miller, Carl Lo Cascio and Barbara McNeill.

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## ECONOMIST WILL PREDICT 1940 FINANCIAL TREND AT CHAMBER OF COMMERCE

### Lincoln Symbol of Greater Boston Community Drive

Greater Boston's Community Fund poster for 1940 is arousing wide interest as it appears on subway walls and billboards and in windows throughout the metropolitan area. A striking head of Abraham Lincoln, together with his immortal words, "by the people, for the people," taken as the slogan of the coming campaign, January 22 to February 6, makes a strong and timely appeal.

by the people for the people

The Arlington Chamber of Commerce will hold a regular meeting next Tuesday evening, and for the second time will have the use of the Arlington Gas Light Company's auditorium. The chairman of the meeting, Walter T. Chamberlain, treasurer of the Arlington Cooperative Bank, has secured a financial authority as speaker of the evening.

Harold Charles Bond of Studley Shupert & Company, Boston, will give a talk on the financial trend predicted for 1940. Mr. Bond, an economist of national reputation, is also an accomplished public speaker, having addressed various organizations throughout the country.

Dinner will be served by Caterer Hamilton at 6:45.

### Contradiction

The vital statistics for 1939, furnished the Advocate this week from Town Clerk Earl A. Ryder's office, demonstrated some surprising contradictions. The births fell off, yet marriages increased, while deaths showed an increase. The figures are as follows:

	1938	1939
Births	648	535
Deaths	417	457
Marriages	340	426

### Regent Theatre Now Being Redecorated

Arlington's Regent Theatre is now under renovation with the latest in modern appointments being installed.

Long regarded as Arlington's intimate theatre, the Regent has recently placed in new comfortable plush seats in conjunction with a new sound system. Now with the redecoration of the theatre under way, its patrons will find a complete new interior, including damage on

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### Recovered

Lieutenant Charles Carroll of the police department reported to his chief Saturday morning that with Officer John Hourihan he had recovered the two coats stolen from the high school December 5.

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Before refreshments were served a happy surprise was in store for Mrs. Fannie (Grammie) Hadley, who was celebrating her 81st birthday. In behalf of the church Rev. Bridge presented the esteemed lady with a beautiful flowering plant and a book. Those assisting on the refreshment committee included Mrs.

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### Only One New Year Crash Reported Here

New Year's Eve brought only one highway accident to Arlington. In the early hours of Sunday morning an automobile operated by Anthony Thompson of 82 Lake street collided with the safety island for outbound cars on Massachusetts Avenue at Winter street. The machine was heavily damaged and Thompson was removed to Symmes Arlington Hospital for treatment.

## Ask Pay for Local Christmas Seals

Skating Rink Provided at the Florence Ave. Playground. Children Sign Resolution of Appreciation.

The spirit of the New Year certainly was exemplified by the children of Arlington Heights this week, and the board of directors of the Arlington Heights Improvement Association were happy to receive a new kind of petition signed by over 85 boys and girls of the district.

The response to the Seal Sale campaign has been very gratifying, but every cent is needed in order to carry out the program planned for 1940," according to Mrs. Clarence Johnson, treasurer.

Approximately \$900.00 has been received to date. This money will be used in a program to prevent tuberculosis in Arlington and throughout the country where 70,000 lives are claimed each year by this disease.

Registration Month At Trinity Baptist

This month is registration month at Trinity Baptist church, and an interesting program has been announced. All members and friends are urged to attend and register

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### Hit-and-Run

A dog owned by S. J. Connolly of 40 Mary street was struck and killed by a hit-and-run driver near the Hardy School Tuesday morning.

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## Obituaries

## MRS. JOHN E. BALMER

Mrs. Mary Gentile, lately of 123 Thorndike street, passed away on Friday, December 29, after a brief two-day illness. Mrs. Gentile made her home with a son, Henry Gentile, and a daughter, Mrs. Adele Shepard, who survive her. A second son, Ralph Gentile of Medford, and three grandchildren also survive.

Although born in Naples, Italy, Mrs. Gentile had lived in the United States for over thirty years, and for the past sixteen years had made her home in Arlington.

Born in Ireland, Mr. Esdale was the son of Alexander and Sarah

MacKeever Esdale. Sixty-four years ago he came to the United States, and he had lived in Arlington for the past fourteen years. He was a cabinet maker by trade, and after forty-five years of working at his job, he had retired in June, 1933.

Rev. George A. Butters of Calvary Methodist church conducted the funeral services at the chapel. Burial was in Puritan Lawn Park, in Peabody.

Mrs. Esdale, the former Margaret M. Hume, survives, as does Miss Elizabeth Esdale, a daughter.

## MRS. MARY GENTILE

The funeral was held from the Edward M. Walsh Funeral Home, 2175 Massachusetts avenue, Cambridge, last Sunday afternoon at 12:30 o'clock, and there were services at the Immaculate Conception church at half past one. Burial was in Mount Pleasant cemetery. A post-burial requiem mass was celebrated at Immaculate Conception church at 7:30 o'clock on Tuesday morning of this week.

## ANDREW ESDALE

Funeral services were held at two o'clock last Saturday afternoon, De-

ember 30, at the Saville & Kimball Chapel at 418 Massachusetts avenue, for Andrew Esdale, who passed away on December 28. Mr. Esdale lived at 758 Massachusetts avenue, where with Mrs. Esdale he had conducted a tourist house for the past five years. Formerly Mr. and Mrs. Esdale lived on Newport street. The end was unexpected, for although Mr. Esdale underwent a very serious operation in the past summer, he was thought to be well along the road to recovery.

Born in Ireland, Mr. Esdale was the son of Alexander and Sarah

## MRS. CHALMERS W. STAPLES

At Symmes Hospital on Thursday, December 28, Mrs. Eleanor C. Staples passed away at the age of forty-four. For three weeks previous to her death, Mrs. Staples had been ill at the hospital, and for a number of years she had been frail and unwell.

Mrs. Staples came from Maine, having been born in Rockland, the daughter of Fred and Anna (Meade) Brown. She was taken to Maine for burial, in Oak Knoll cemetery at Winterport. Services

were conducted at Hartwell Chapel, 792 Massachusetts avenue, on Saturday, December 30, by Rev. Richard T. Broeg, minister of the Heights Methodist church, which church Mrs. Staples attended.

Mrs. Staples is survived by her husband, Chalmer W. Staples of 457 Summer street; a daughter, Miss Ruth E. Staples of the same address; and by her mother, Mrs. Anna Brown, also of the same address. She also leaves two brothers: Nestor Brown of Rockland, Maine; and Clarence Brown, of Lewiston, Maine. Mrs. Staples had made Arlington her home for the past twelve years.

## Manager W. E. Richardson Leads Sales Force South

The entire Boston Division Sales force, headed by W. E. Richardson of Arlington, division manager of The Celotex Corporation, leaves today for New Orleans, Louisiana, to attend the company's annual sales convention Wednesday, Thursday and Friday of this week. They will join some 300 sales representatives, executives and factory officials gathered together in the southern city to learn about 1940 plans of the largest sales and advertising drive for business ever launched in the history of the company.

In the Boston group which will board a special pullman car for the journey are two Arlington men—Manager Richardson, 18 Venner road, and F. T. McEwen, 162 Broadway. Mrs. Richardson is also making the trip south with some of the other wives of the men in The Celotex Corporation.

## Double Celebration

Miss Roberta Richardson, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Walter E. Richardson of 18 Venner road, entertained a group of her friends on a double celebration New Year's Eve. The first part of the evening was spent observing Roberta's birthday anniversary, and after twelve o'clock the guests hailed 1940. Those who attended were: Elaine Twitchell, Arline Sinclair, and Winifred Northrup of Arlington; Marilyn Dickson, Genevieve Martin, Robert Strong, and Ray Murphy of Medford; Kenneth Lindstrom of Somerville; Richard and Edwin Rumrill, Jr., and Elliott Smith of Melrose, and Philip Polley of Malden.

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Fischer, P. B. *More Stately Mansions*. Holden, R. P. *Believe the Heart*. Stong, P. D. *Ivanhoe Keeler*.

## NON-FICTION

Biddle, George. *An American Artist's Story*. An autobiography of a distinguished artist. Brockway, Wallace. *Men of Music*, their lives, times, and achievements, by Wallace Brockway and Herbert Weinstock. A series of critical biographies. Camp, R. R. *All Seasons Afield* with Rod and Gun, with a foreword by Van Campen Heilner. Invaluable to the eastern sportsman.

Dickens, Monica. *One Pair of Hands*, with a foreword by Compton Mackenzie. Adventures of a London debutante, great granddaughter of Charles Dickens, who earned her own living by being cook and housemaid. Earle, H. P. *Blackout, the Human Side of Europe's March to War*. A junior at Harvard, son of an ex-Governor of Pennsylvania, was attached to the U. S. embassy at Paris during the summer of 1939.

Fendler, Donn. *Donn Fendler lost on a mountain in Maine*, a brave boy's true story of his nine-day adventure alone in the Mount Katahdin Wilderness, as told to Joseph B. Egan.

Frost, J. E. *A Cape Cod Sketch Book* (A fancy this book). Contains 100 drawings, each with a fascinating comment.

Gruenberg, Mrs. S. M. *We, the parents, our relationship to our children and to the world today*. Scientific and sound commonsense is given.

Hammerton, J. E. ed. *Wonders of the Past*, a world-wide survey of the marvelous works of man in ancient times, written by the leading authorities and edited by Sir J. A. Hammerton. New ed. in two volumes.

Jacob, H. E. *Johann Strauss, father and son, a century of light music*, trans. by Marguerite Wolff. The author includes two other brothers in the biography.

Massachusetts. *General Court Manual for the use of the General Court for 1939-1940*.

Mowrer, E. A. *Germany Puts the Clock Back*. Rev. ed. 1939. Including a new foreword and three new chapters.

Smithsonian Institution. *Annual Report of the Board of Regents* . . . showing the operations, expenditures, and condition of the institution for the year ended June 30, 1938.

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**MRS. ROBERT D. RAUH**

After a long illness, Mrs. Gwen-dolyn L. Rauh passed away at her home, 39 Maynard street, on Friday, December 29. She was the wife of Robert D. Rauh, who survives her, as does her small son. She was thirty-one years old.

Mrs. Rauh was born in Chelsea, the daughter of Frederick L. Newcombe and Maude E. (Bradley) Newcombe. Both Mr. and Mrs. Newcombe survive their daughter.

Funeral services were conducted at the West Somerville Congregational church on Sunday last at 2:30 o'clock. Burial was in Mount Feake Cemetery in Waltham.

Mrs. Rauh had lived in Arlington for a year.

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street, Frank Tortorici has proven  
himself a foreign-born citizen of the  
biggest type. He has devoted himself  
to his business, to be sure, but  
in addition he has found time to  
interest himself in town affairs and  
to lend his effort to all sorts of civic  
activities.



FRANK TORTORICI

Although he was born in Italy  
and is very conscious of the fact  
that his father is still living in the  
old country and is still plowing his  
trade as a shoe-maker at the age of  
eighty-seven, and the fact that his  
uncle is an Italian baron, Mr. Torto-  
rici is 100% American and very  
proud of the United States citizenship  
he has held since 1927.

Mr. Tortorici is a member of the  
Arlington Lodge, Sons of Italy in  
America, and was its venerable  
(president) for three years, having  
worked up through all the chairs in the  
order. He has worked hard for  
the Sons of Italy, but he has, per-  
haps, worked even harder for the  
Arlington Chamber of Commerce,  
for he is interested not only in his  
own prosperous business but in the  
prosperity of the whole town. He is  
also a member of Arlington Council,  
Knights of Columbus, and the  
Arlington Lodge of Elks, and among  
his greatest pleasures are the weekly  
meetings of the Arlington Rotary  
Club, to which he was recently ad-  
mitted.

Mrs. Tortorici has also been very  
active in Arlington's affairs. She  
has served on many civic commit-  
tees, is an active member of the Ar-  
lington Woman's Club and is past-

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FAMILY.

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AFTER AN OPERATION AT THE BAKER ME-  
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as the deed is passed or the lease is  
signed; it is his aim to make a real  
friend every time he makes a sale,  
and judging from the number of  
sales he has made during the past  
year, he has made a lot of friends.  
Pictures of some of the houses he  
has sold are at this minute dis-  
played in the window of his most  
attractive office.

Mr. Rausch was born in East Boston  
in July 1898 but lived for many  
years next door to Arlington in  
West Medford, moving there with  
his parents in 1912. He attended  
Medford High School and Burdett  
College before launching off into the  
business world as a salesman. For  
some years he traveled the country  
as representative of Swift & Company,  
but in 1935 came back to this  
section to enter his chosen field, the  
real estate business. He spent more  
than two years with the Grove &  
Lewis real estate company in Som-  
erville before coming to Arlington  
to open his own office.

From the start Mr. Rausch  
showed himself an energetic and  
progressive broker. In the first  
place he fitted up his office as attrac-  
tively as could possibly be im-  
agined. The display windows are  
always tastefully decorated, and the  
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his arrival in this town and immedi-  
ately proved himself a valuable  
member. He also belongs to the Ar-  
lington Lions Club and the Mass-  
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the William Whitman Company of  
Boston, Elsa E. Rosenwald has  
dreamed of owning a candy shoppe  
of her own. With a family tradition  
for candy-making, she prepared  
herself for a similar future at the  
Fannie Farmer School of Cookery,  
but being also a graduate of Fisher  
Business College, she found her first  
work in office work.

Never, did she lose her dream,  
however, and all the time she was  
in office work, she utilized her spare  
time in research and study of the  
candy business. She and her hus-  
band, Edward C. Rosenwald, who  
has been musical director for R. K.  
O. theatres of Boston for the past  
ten years, have done a great deal of  
travelling through the United States  
as well as in Europe, and during  
these travels spent much time vis-  
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serving new methods of manufac-  
ture and picking up new recipes.  
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**FRANK TORTORICI  
PROVES SELF IDEAL  
TYPE OF CITIZEN**

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president and one of the founders of Arlington's auxiliary to the order of Sons of Italy in America. The Tortorici make their home at 5 Oak Knoll and have three daughters, two in Arlington High School and one in Radcliffe College.

Mr. Tortorici was born to the shoe-making trade in Italy and through the twenty-seven years he has been in this country has kept himself constantly informed of the latest methods of shoe repair and hat cleaning. He started his own business in this town in 1919 with a store on Massachusetts Avenue, where Kresge's is now located. When the chain store came to Arlington twelve years ago, Mr. Tortorici moved his shop to 8 Medford street, where he is still giving the highest type of service to his ever-growing list of customers.

Speaking of service, this writer will never forget the time he had taken a pair of borrowed riding boots to Tortorici's shop to be burnished in preparation for appearance in a play production. As it happened, the opening night of the play was on a holiday, when all the stores were closed. Characteristically, the scribbler had forgotten to pick up the boots the day before, and did not wake up to his lack until a few minutes before curtain time. After receiving a frantic telephone call, Mr. Tortorici not only went down to his store for the boots but insisted on driving the absent-minded thespian to his destination and at the same time managed to give the impression that doing the favor was to him a very great privilege.

**Engagements**

Murphy - O'Connell

Announcement has been made of the engagement of Miss Jeanette Louise Murphy, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Frank T. Murphy of 27 Mount Vernon street, and Walter S. O'Connell of Larchmont, New York, son of Mrs. Edgar E. O'Connell and the late Mr. O'Connell of that city.

Miss Murphy was graduated from Arlington High School, and is at the present time employed in Boston with an insurance company. Her fiance, who was graduated from Fordham University, is in business in Somerville.

Bundegard - Battis

Of interest to Arlingtonians is the announcement made last week by Mrs. Gertrude Bundegard of Brookline of the engagement of her daughter, Miss Harriette Frances Bundegard, to Floyd Rumney Battis, Jr. Mr. Battis, who attended the Bentley School of Accounting and Finance, is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Floyd R. Battis of 103 Oakland Avenue. His bride-to-be was graduated from the Cambridge Hospital School of Nursing. Miss Bundegard and Mr. Battis have made no immediate plans for their wedding.

Aubrey - Kuglin

Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Aubrey of Marathon street announce the engagement of their daughter, Ruth M. Aubrey, to Rupert W. Kuglin, son of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Kuglin of Watervale road, Medford.

Miss Aubrey is a graduate of Arlington High School, '37. Mr. Kuglin is a graduate of Medford High School, '34, and is now connected with the Tydewater Oil Co. in Medford. No date has been set for the wedding.

Cass - Stevens

Mr. and Mrs. Bertram E. Cass wish to announce the engagement of their daughter, Winifred, to Fred E. Stevens of Arlington.

Harmon - Whitman

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Harmon of Braintree announce the engagement of their sister, Miss Dorothy V. Harmon, to Lawrence E. Whitman, son of Mr. and Mrs. Edward P. Whitman of 66 Newport street.

Miss Harmon is a graduate of Symmes Arlington Hospital school of nursing, while Mr. Whitman graduated from Arlington High School and Tufts engineering school with the class of 1933. He is employed by the N. Y. N. H. & Hartford R. R. A summer wedding is planned.

Mrs. C. Frederic Evans of 109 Claremont avenue, who returned this week-end from a visit with her daughter in Baton Rouge, reports a delightful trip. The most striking thing of beauty in the Baton Rouge district was the abundance of gorgeous poinsettias in full bloom.

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**ARLINGTON PEOPLE  
FIGURE PROMINENTLY  
IN SCHOOL ELECTION**

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Mrs. George B. Ottley of 33 Church-ill avenue.

Miss June Owen, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. William C. F. Owen of 59 Moulton road, was elected secretary, to succeed Miss Eleanor J. Ogren, daughter of Mrs. Jennie E. Ogren of 32 School street.

It was voted to extend to Miss Ogren, who has held the office of secretary since the formation of the alumni association, the sincere appreciation of the group for her continuous effort and co-operation during the difficult period of organization.

A very successful meeting, preceded by a delicious catered dinner, was enjoyed, with a record number of alumni present. Greetings were received from school graduates as far away as California, and a bulletin containing information about former students is planned for publication next month.

**TO EXPLAIN TOWNSEND  
PLAN AT TOWN HALL**

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be materially reduced if the Townsend program of old-age annuity payments were substituted in its stead, in the opinion of Robert Adams, well-known Los Angeles business man, who will speak here in the Robbins Memorial Town Hall next Wednesday evening at 8 o'clock.

The meeting which will be attended by several hundred Townsend Club members from this part of the state, is open to anyone who wishes to attend.

In his address, Mr. Adams will stress the tax features of the Townsend Plan, but he will discuss as well the growth of the Townsend Movement within the past year and its non-partisan political program.

**ALDRICH-HACKETT  
DANCE PUPILS ENJOY  
PRE-NEW YEAR FORMAL**

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Charming in their youthful evening gowns and conducting themselves in a becoming manner, the young ladies and their escorts demonstrated how well they had learned their steps during the fall classes. Much enjoyment was displayed during some of the old-fashioned round dances and the 1940 season is anticipated with enthusiasm.

The Arlington Unitarian Sunday School classes were recently entertained by members of the stage dancing and dramatic department.

**Pine Tree Patrol  
Christmas Party**

The Pine Tree Patrol of Troop 2, Arlington, held a Christmas party at the home of the Patrol Leader, Sonny Keefe, of 11 Teele street, on Wednesday evening, December 27. Games were played and during the evening the scouts exchanged gifts.

Plans were then made to send the twenty-three pounds of tinfoil collected by some of the scouts to the Shriners Hospital for crippled children, as part of their Christmas work. For the past seven years Sonny Keefe has collected about 20 pounds of tinfoil during each summer vacation and sent it to the hospital.

For their Thanksgiving welfare work the Pine Tree Patrol sent a turkey and a large basket of groceries and all the fixings to a needy family in Arlington.

The balance of the evening was spent around the large Christmas tree playing the game of "True or False." Refreshments were served from a prettily decorated table.

Scouts attending were: Keith MacLeod, Arnold Olsen, Richard Onan, John Gasper, John Murphy and Robert Carter and Sonny Keefe.

**Get Together and Help  
Business, Says Morgan**

The American way to accomplish things is the Democratic way—via the avenue of education, says Dr. Charles Morgan, who is giving a new course in economics starting Wednesday evening, January 10, at Robbins Library, and continuing every Wednesday for ten weeks.

Classes open at 7:20 p.m.

"Unless our leaders and their counselors can be made to understand the reasons for our social maladjustments, they will continue in a haphazard way to blindly attempt their solution," says Dr. Morgan. "For nearly twenty years the business men, the capitalists and the bulk of employed labor, have felt a sense of insecurity unlike ever before in America. The cause is known to the careful student.

"As the roll of unemployment continues to mount, so have the taxes on the thrifty risen to almost unbearable heights. Why not know the cause? Why be fooled by unsound reasoning such as overproduction, over consumption, over expansion, etc., etc., when the science of political economy has the answer; but too few take time to study about it. As long as the small group is too busy in leadership to study the way to bring order out of turmoil, why don't business men join hands and study and discuss together all the practical ways that are known. This would be an act of



# SPORTS

## LOCAL HOCKEY TEAM TAKES UNDISPUTED LEAGUE LEAD

Downs Men Hold Slight Margin over Second Place Scramble by Virtue of 5-1 Romp over Stoneham. Captain Bobby Sanders Sparkles.

By virtue of a one-sided 5-1 romp over the Stoneham High icemen, the Arlington boys took over undisputed possession of the number one position in the Greater Boston League race. The game was played at the Garden before a small but enthusiastic group of fans.

The uncertainty of schoolboy

hockey was truly exemplified Saturday.

Melrose had opened the season with a romp over the Newton club and then just last week Belmont rose up to knock over the Podlemen, 3-2. Here is where the snag comes. Newton shut out Belmont by an overwhelmingly large margin—to be exact, 7-0. Melrose

whipped Medford on the rebound, 4-2, and Rindge Tech pulled an

surprise by battling favored

Cambridge Latin to a 2-2 tie. As a

matter of fact, if the game could have ended a minute and ten seconds sooner, the Technicians would have emerged with a 2-1 triumph.

Right now Coach Downs and his

squad hold a one-point advantage after three sets of games. Melrose, Newton, and Cambridge Latin are buncheted in a tie for the runner-up berth.

**Bobby Shines**

Captain Bobby Sanders was without a doubt the outstanding performer in the Garden Saturday. He stood head and shoulders over his teammates and the Stoneham boys and was pressed only by Newton's Walter Hurley, who also came up with a grand exhibition. Bob had the rather rare distinction of scoring three times in one game. He also was credited with one assist which will aid him greatly in his drive for top scoring honors. We are glad to see Sanders come into his own because, after a strong start in his sophomore year, he seemed to slip a season ago.

Stoneham managed to hold Arlington on an even basis for eight minutes due to the tireless efforts of Johnny Russell. However, Blanchard fed Sanders past behind the defensemen and Bob blazed home the first tally. At 11:04 Eddie Burns assisted Captain Bob on goal number two. Without a doubt Sanders has the strongest and most accurate shot we have seen in this league so far.

**Burns Scores**

Bobby circled his net and skated for the third tally at 4:46 of the through the entire Stoneham team second session. His shot was a beauty, catching the upper right hand corner. Paul Sullivan took Blanchard's place on the first line to give Art a rest and came through with a goal. Sanders snared the rubber just inside the Stoneham blue line and passed to Burns. Eddie fed the disc to Sullivan who was just outside the crease and the Arlington lad had little difficulty beating Blinn. Eddie Burns made the final Arlington score seconds before this chapter closed. There was a mixup around the Stoneham cage and Ed managed to get shot which Blinn never had a chance to save.

As expected, Captain Twinkle Glennon and Tommy Cotter were the main cogs in the Arlington attack, with each boy chalking up thirteen points. Fuzzy Knight broke his scoring famine by tallying once from the floor and once from the goal line. Midway through the third period the locals lost the services of Ritchie Ryholm, who was removed from the bench never had a chance to save.

The outcome of the game was never in doubt. Arlington started out with a 4-0 lead and by half time their margin was 26-19. They played a high brand of basketball, but didn't seem to be over-exerting themselves. The opposition wasn't quite as potent as was expected, but on the other hand Arlington was really surprising.

The Arlington seconds also won, thus breaking into the win column for the first time this season. The final score of their game was 29-17.

This Arlington club which is now in first place is a surprisingly strong unit. The second line hasn't found its scoring punch yet, but its members should develop. Remember that Coach Downs is playing without both boys who were scheduled to make up the first defense. Ritchie Grant, probably the best man on the points, was never out for the team because of the serious injury he received in football. Although he has another year in school it is doubtful if Grant will ever represent the Red and Gray again. This is a shame because he would surely be an outstanding member of both the grid and ice squads in 1940-41. Bob Battis, the other defenseman, is out of competition because of the cut received in the Latin contest. He is recovering satisfactorily but will not be available for further service.

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public benefit. Such an outline can be covered in ten weeks by meeting one evening each week.

Your town is in need of more people who know and are willing to help. Bring your wives and friends. The course is free except for the text-book which is one dollar.

a good battle. Billy Kaplan is the main cog in their machine and will bear a great deal of watching from the Arlington guard. This contest will start at 3:00, with the second teams facing off in a preliminary.

## "HOLLYWOOD under OBSERVATION"

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- By Joseph Hoar -  
Mr. Tamiroff's  
"Disputed Passage"  
Opens Sunday

Paramount has turned to the medical profession for its drama, as evidenced by its production of Lloyd C. Douglas' "Disputed Passage," opening Sunday for three days at the University. By far the best performer in this doctor story is able Akim Tamiroff. Seen all too briefly as the window washer in "Honeymoon in Bali," he drew a laugh with every expression. His new film, however, presents the masterful Akim in a high-geared acting assignment, that of a famous medico; the finished performance of which makes young Doctor John Howard and China person Dorothy Lamour pale by comparison. Tamiroff in White.

Laughton's Bronx Cheer  
Top Scene in Starry  
"If I Had a Million"

For Review Day

Never expect to see Charles Laughton on film as he is in real life. Never expect to see one C. L. Laughton that resembles another. Always expect to see Charles Laughton do something vastly different, immensely exciting and eminently entertaining and you have an idea of his greatness.



"Vastly Different"  
Mr. Laughton

Jammed into "If I Had a Million," a film that required the miscellaneous collaborative efforts of every writer, director and star on the Paramount lot, Mr. Laughton pilfered the picture from W. C. Fields, George Raft, Gary Cooper, Charlie Ruggles, Allison Skipworth and May Robson. He did it with his minute portrayal of Phinias Lambert, hen-pecked bookkeeper who, on receiving a certified million-dollar check from multi-millionaire Richard Bennett, silently mounts several flights of stairs, passes through several offices and comes at last to the door marked "President." Opening the door, Laughton inquires blandly: "Mr. Brown?" Then, when Mr. Brown confirms the question, Laughton lets go one of the most exquisite razzberries ever pictured. His performance in this star-decked 1933 picture is a far cry from his most recent satire, "Jamaica Inn." Bligh's Birde.

The Sixtieth  
Advocate Award  
Of the Week

To Charles Laughton, not for surpassing, but for equaling Lon Chaney in "The Hunchback of Notre Dame."

"Magnificent Obsession"  
With Laughton Film

Full evidence of Robert Taylor's charm is visible in Irene Dunne's "Magnificent Obsession," popular Lloyd C. Douglas novel which has become a perennial screen hit.

Since Taylor made this film he has gone to the top of the Hollywood heap and down again. It seems to be Tyrone Power and Clark Gable these days. Taylor wasn't even in the Top Ten money stars this year.

As Bobby Merrick in "Magnificent Obsession," Bob gives his great performance very much of everything he's got. Magnificent Bob Session.

"The Amazing Dr. Williams"

The Reardon duo, Melvyn Douglas and Joan Blondell, are back in another whodunit; this time it's called "The Amazing Mr. Williams." It's fast, it's fun. Co-featured is the distinguished Fine Arts film, "The Mill on the Floss," starring Geraldine Fitzgerald. Also is the January "March of Time."

"Zorro's Fighting Legion"  
Serial for Kid Show

Kay Kyser stars in "That's Right, You're Wrong," seen with "Disputed Passage." Besides the big Kyser orchestra there is Adolphe Menjou and Lucille Ball. At the Saturday 10 a. m. Kiddie Show will start the new superhero serial, "Zorro's Fighting Legion." It's one cent morning, too. Any child paying the regular admission to see this show may take a friend in for one cent more. "Pack Up Your Troubles" and the usual cartoon novelties are also on this great juvenile jamboree of movies.

The Misses Frances and Martha Yeames, daughters of Mr. and Mrs. Arthur O. Yeames of 24 Kensington road, entertained, Thursday afternoon, for a group of their friends home from college.

## Town TALK

—Miss Marilyn Meanor, well-known Arlington drum-major, led the Woburn city band at the inauguration of Mayor Kane Monday afternoon.

—Mr. and Mrs. Frank L. Chamberlain of 20 Pond lane spent the holidays in Maine visiting their two sons, Frank, Jr., in Alna, and Warren, in Limerick.

—Mr. and Mrs. Harold Knox, formerly of Arlington, had the misfortune to be burned out of their new house in Belmont Christmas night. The damage exceeded \$2,500, the loss including all the Christmas presents which were stacked under the Christmas tree when the fire started from defective wiring.

—Mr. and Mrs. Joseph P. McCann of Academy street and Mr. and Mrs. Harold B. Wood of Hutchinson road gave supper parties Saturday evening and Monday evening, respectively, preceding duplicate contract matches between two teams of four. The team made up of Mr. and Mrs. McCann, Beatrice Ring and Parker Wood was victorious both evenings, the losing team consisting of Mr. and Mrs. Harold Knox.

—Eugene D. Lacount, 95, one of Somerville's oldest residents, died New Year's Eve at the home of his granddaughter, Mrs. Philip W. Card of 152 Crossley street, after a short illness. His home was at 34 Day street in Somerville.

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KAY KYSER in  
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AKIM TAMIROFF in "DISPUTED PASSAGE"  
Wednesday — REVIEW DAY — January 10  
IRENE DUNNE in  
"The Magnificent Obsession"  
"IF I HAD A MILLION" with Charles Laughton

**THURS., FRI., SAT., JAN. 11, 12, 13**  
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## Local Girl Broadcasts Over Station WHDH

Elsie DeRosa, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Christie DeRosa of 50 Walnut street sang over WHDH last Sunday on the Gloria hour. Mrs. DeRosa received quite a few telephone calls, congratulating her daughter, Elsie, and asking when she will sing again. Miss DeRosa is 12 years old and attends the Junior High School East. Her selection was "Scatterbrain."

## Relief Corps Presents Flag to Girl Scouts

The members of Troop 21, Girl Scouts, are the recipients of a beautiful silk flag, the gift of the Women's Relief Corps, Mrs. Joseph Fraser, president. The presentation was made recently at the Peirce school where a pageant of flags was also presented by fourteen of the scouts. During the affair a vested choir under the direction of Mrs. Harry O. Williams provided music.

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### OPENING EIGHT HOMES FOR FRIENDS' ANNUAL BRIDGE

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committee in charge of Miss Elizabeth Cobb and Miss Margaret Hall, purchasers will, unless they specify a preference to the contrary, be assigned a table at one of the following homes: Mrs. James A. Bailey, 14 Wellington street; Mrs. David R. Kennedy, 800 Massachusetts avenue; Mrs. Harold B. Wood, 21 Hutchinson road; Mrs. Gladys Collier, 18 Wellington street; Mrs. Philip H. Burt, 27 Brantwood road; Mrs. Richard W. Howe, 7 Addison street; Mrs. J. Stanley Coleman, 20 Norfolk road; Mrs. W. G. Porter, 7 Gould road.

Prizes will be awarded and refreshments will be served by a special committee of hostesses at each of the eight homes.

### Theatrical Ball

Mr. and Mrs. Paul M. White, Jr., co-chairmen of the annual Theatrical Ball to be given in Robbins Memorial Town Hall on the eve of Washington's Birthday, wish to correct a misunderstanding about costumes. The fact that the ball will have an under-sea motif this year applies only to the decorations. The dancers may wear any sort of costumes they wish and prizes will be awarded on the usual basis—most beautiful, most authentic theatrical, funniest, etc. There will, however, be a special prize for the most clever under-sea costume.

In the Turkish bath are sheet-swathed characters from all walks of life. Jean Whitcomb plays an over-weight actress trying to reduce; Gladys Collier is a hard-bitten nurse, just off a case; Ernestine Ware is a debutante recovering from the effects of her debut; Anne Wooldridge is a newspaper woman looking for a human interest story; Esther Knight is a homesick bride, who has run away from her husband; and Mildred Anderson is the colored attendant.

After a short business meeting, carols were heartily sung by the whole party. A Christmas story, "The Little Mixer," which told of a Jewish child's desire to be absorbed in her little neighbor's spirit of Christmas, was read by Mrs. Robert Wallace. Games, which then became the order of the evening, were whole-heartedly enjoyed by everyone, until delicious refreshments were served by Mrs. Ann Folsom and her committee.

### ANNUAL MEETING NEXT WEDNESDAY HTS. IMPROVEMENT

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have been effected for the residents of the town, plans for further expansion in the building of a better Arlington will be launched.

A few of the actions taken in 1939 and brought to a successful conclusion are: Successful sponsoring a change in the zoning-by-law limiting the size of house lots in the future to a minimum of 60 by 100 feet; successful opposition to the creation of Residence C and Residence D districts, which would have opened the town to apartment and multi-tenement houses; an appearance before the park commissioners with 80 boys from the Heights, which resulted in the grading of the Florence avenue playground, and with the coming of winter and freezing weather, the association was able to obtain the building of a skating rink there for the children; the obtaining, after two years effort, of the paving of the soft shoulders on Park avenue from Oakland avenue to Prospect street; the obtaining of another street light at the corner of Park and Wachusett avenues, reducing a traffic hazard at the bus stop there; and the successful opposition to a change in the zoning from single family residences to business in the matter of the property at Oakland and Park avenues and the property at Hillside and Wachusett avenues.

Immediately following the short business meeting on January 10, there will be an entertainment from WNAC Yankee Network Artists, with Florence Fleming, accordionist and general entertainer, Queenie Dunedin, comedienne, and George Gillette, a comedy musical act. The entertainment will be followed by refreshments for all. There is no charge for this meeting and party, as it is given by the association each year for its members and all civic minded Arlington residents.

Norman MacDonald, Executive Secretary of the Massachusetts Federation of Taxpayers Associations, will be the speaker of the evening.

Mr. and Mrs. James W. Hearsey of 102 Harlow street will be in St. Petersburg, Florida, for the next four months.

### Don't Miss

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### VARIA STUDY CLUB

The next meeting of the Varia Study Club will be held at the home of Mrs. Cornelius Collins, 30 Rangeley road, on Monday, January 8. The speakers will be Curtis and Dorothy Pinkham, who will give an illustrated talk entitled "A Glimpse of Pre-Revolutionary America." During the lecture they will show slides and motion pictures taken last summer while on a trip to Old Williamsburg.

### KIWANIS CLUB

The Arlington Kiwanis Club will hold its annual installation of officers and ladies' night this evening at Wyman's Tavern. Dinner will be served at 6:30. The installing officer will be Kiwanis Governor-elect Fred Mitchell, former principal of Arlington High School.

### TOWNSEND CLUB #1

At the regular meeting of Townsend Club #1 Tuesday evening, the following officers were installed by Mrs. Edna Eaton of Middleboro: President, Mrs. John Heron; vice-president, Louis T. Phelps; secretary, Mrs. Blanche Brine; treasurer, Mrs. Walite; membership, John Kelley. After the installation Mrs. Eaton gave a very inspiring talk on the progress of the Plan. John Weir, state representative, surprised the members by his presence and he also gave a short address.

Refreshments were served during the social period.

Robert Adams, well-known business man of Los Angeles, will speak here in Robbins Memorial Town Hall next Wednesday evening, January 10th, at 8 p. m. The meeting will be open to the public and everyone is most cordially welcome.

The new Council meets at Mrs. Heron's home, 75 Appleton street, Friday evening.

### BRACKETT P. T. A.

Observing one of the loveliest of all Christmas eve traditions, a group of eighteen sixth graders from Miss Kurvinen's room of the Brackett school strolled through the hill section singing Christmas carols.

Accompanied by the well-known Foster Brown, Walter Heilman, Mrs. Stanley Beck, and Mrs. Clarence Estey of the Brackett P. T. A., their carol singing was a welcome pleasure, especially at the several places where there were shut-ins and convalescents.

At a rest home for small children, the occupants were so delighted that they insisted that the entire group come in and visit their creche. In their wish to bring pleasure to others, these young people showed the true spirit of Christmas and all that it signifies.

### Fathers' Night

Next Tuesday evening will be Fathers' Night at the Brackett P. T. A., and Chief Archie F. Bullock of the local police department is in charge of an interesting program which will include Judge Jennie Loitman Barron as the principal speaker.

### Historical Society Entertains at Tea

Members and friends of the Arlington Historical Society attended a tea at the Jason Russell House New Year's afternoon. The program committee, Miss Edith N. Winn, Mrs. Arthur P. Wyman and Rev. John Nicol Mark, was in charge. President Laurence L. Barber received the guests informally.

The members were much interested in an exhibit of Majolica ware which was in charge of Mrs. Charles Taber Hall. Tea was served in the 18th Century room, the pourers being Mrs. Arthur Glines and Mrs. George A. Winn. They were assisted in serving by Miss Marion Shirley, Miss Edith Erving, Mrs. Edith Michaelson and Mrs. Ernest Llewellyn. Miss Esther Gannett and Mrs. Michaelson acted as hostesses.

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### Vikings Planning 50th Anniversary

Meeting with other delegates of lodges representing the Independent Order of Vikings in Massachusetts, Karl Fredrickson, Sven Benson, and Carl Wennerberg of Einar Lodge of Arlington, attended the meeting at the Ritz Plaza Hall, Boston, recently, to discuss plans to celebrate the 50th anniversary of the order early next June. A special committee was appointed to ascertain where the affair could be held. At the present time this committee has under consideration Boston, Worcester and Swampscott as possible places where the members of the organization could stage this celebration. The committee has been instructed to report to the general committee at the next meeting in January, at which time it is expected that a place and date will be decided upon.

### Ruth Chatterton Swings Into Finale at the Wilbur

Ruth Chatterton at the Wilbur on Monday night swung into the final week of her Boston engagement with her most recent comedy acquisition, "Tonight We Dance."

The play is bright, light and frothy with an abundance of laughter-provoking dialogue and incidents having to do with a divorce minded but still madly in love pair of happy-go-lucky, carefree folk in Southern California.

The three children, two daughters in their early teens and a prematurely sophisticated son of ten, are as much of the Burke-Unger story as are the parents. It is all huge fun and seemingly designed for relishing consumption by the laughter seeking element of the legitimate theatre audiences. As a comedienne, Miss Chatterton is exceptionally well cast as the husband. Both Lili Lee and the young in years but apparently old in stage technique, Tommy Lewis are being justly praised for their splendid performances.

There will be matinees on Wednesday and Saturday.

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## THE FAITH THAT IS AMERICA

By Wendell L. Willkie, President, Commonwealth and Southern Corporation  
As condensed by The Reader's Digest from a copyright article  
in the North American Review.

For centuries my ancestors lived in Central Europe. Some of them were peasants, some artisans, others were landed proprietors; but all of them through those centuries had been restricted in their opportunities to the group in which they were born, and no one of them had ever known the true meaning of liberty. Those who did not observe the restrictions under which they were forced to live got into trouble: one had to flee his native land because he adopted the religion of his choice; another was ostracized because he believed in the principles of the French Revolution; and still another was jailed for expressing his own opinions. In 1848, my father and my grandparents came to America to escape this repression of individual liberties.

They were led to these shores, as were millions before and after them, by a special reputation that the United States has had among nations. This reputation is founded upon one simple fact: in the United States the plain man has always had a chance.

My father and mother were the first generation in their families to grow up in America. My mother became a lawyer. My father was also a lawyer. Of course, in Europe my mother would have found it impossible to practice a profession; and my father would have found it difficult to get out of the groove worn by his ancestors. Furthermore, it would have been utterly impossible for them to have given their six children the education which we received in America. We went to high school and college.

And with schooling finished, there were no doors closed to their children just because they came from a plain family in a small town. No class distinction, no law interfered with their effort to earn a living in the occupation of their choice, or to express their opinions as they pleased.

In all the long history of their family, these six children were the first to know, from the time they were born, the blessings of freedom. I don't want them to be the last.

This family record is the record of any number of American families. For us the value of freedom has had a practical demonstration. Freedom means, for example, that if you run a store, you can sell your products to anybody without a government official telling you what the prices must be; if you are a professor in a university, you don't have to alter science or delete history as a bureaucrat prescribes. If you own a newspaper you don't limit your editorial opinions to what an official censor approves. If you are a laborer, you can leave your job when you feel like it for any other job you prefer; you and your fellowworkers can bargain collectively concerning the conditions of your work. If you think taxes are too high, you can vote against those officials you think responsible. And there is no limitation upon your inherent American right to criticize anybody, anywhere, at any time.

These are practical applications of this thing called freedom. In this country we take them for granted—perhaps too much for granted. But in more than half the world freedom does not exist. The present conflict in Europe is perilous to this freedom because in a modern war people destroy the very things they say they are fighting for. It is because we wish to preserve our free democratic system that we must remain at peace. But we cannot remain carelessly at peace. If the price of democracy in ordinary times is eternal vigilance, in a war period that vigilance must be doubled.

We must be careful that, under the guise of "emergency," the powers of government are not so extended as to impair the vitality of free enterprise and choke off free expression of thought. Already we hear of the need for the government to control prices, to license American business, to regiment American employees and employers, to censor the radio. In a critical time there is always a temptation to surrender the responsibilities of a free citizen, to say to the government: "During this emergency, you take charge. You tell us what to do, what to think."

If we should yield to this temptation, the end of our free democratic system might come as readily in peace as in war. Once these responsibilities of citizenship are given up, they are not really returned. Government, in its practical working, consists only of aggregations of men; and men, having tasted power, do not easily surrender power. We must not be misled because suggested restrictions are for humanitarian purposes, for, as ex-Judge Louis D. Brandeis recently said:

"Experience should teach us to be more on our guard to protect our liberties when the government's purposes are beneficent. . . . The greatest dangers to liberty lurk in insidious encroachment by men of zeal, well-minded but without understanding."

The war has not changed the grave domestic questions confronting America; it has just temporarily diverted our minds from them. For ten years we have been haunted by our unemployment problem. Yet its solution has been in our hands for some time. During the depression decade, American industry accumulated an enormous deficiency in plants and modern machinery. To remedy this, industry will need even more than the present number of unemployed. Industry will also need a great deal of additional capital, and there should be no difficulty in getting this, as soon as the millions of American investors are reassured as to the future of free private enterprise.

The lack of confidence within industry is partly a result of industry's own defects in the period of over-expansion which ended in 1929. But since then we have had several years of reform; and some of these reforms have gone so far as to impair the efficiency and morale of business. In prompting recovery, the chief emphasis has been placed upon what

the government should do: we have had colossal expenditures for "priming the pump," and a colossal tax program to pay for these expenditures. Here is just the point where our free democracy is threatened. We are not in immediate danger of losing our freedom of speech, or of the press, or of worship. The greatest threat to the American system today comes from the effort to restrict free competitive enterprise. And such enterprise alone can make economic recovery possible.

We have been told that the frontiers are gone, that our established industries are slowing down, and that there is little to be expected in the way of new inventions. We have even been informed that the very basis of the American dream is no longer true: that the plain man no longer has much of a chance. But such a philosophy is as false as it is cowardly. Our people, comprising only seven per cent of the world's population, still control more than 45 per cent of the world's wealth. And we enjoy the highest real wages, the shortest working hours, and the greatest percentage of home ownership on earth.

The great days of America are by no means gone. We have only touched the border of our achievement. If I did not believe this, I would not believe in America. Because that faith is America.

So my creed, if I were asked to define it, would run something like this:

I believe in America because in it we are free—free to choose our government, to speak our minds, to observe our different religions;

Because we are generous with our freedom—we share our rights with those who disagree with us;

Because we hate no people and covet no people's land;

Because we are blessed with a natural and varied abundance;

Because we set no limit to a man's achievement; in mine, factory, field or service in business or the arts, an able man, regardless of class or creed, can realize his ambitions;

Because we have great dreams—and because we have the opportunity to make those dreams come true.

## WOODCUTS

Judging from the number of people who have asked us about it, we missed very important detail in that story last week about the Edward O'Brien family being saved from suffocation when roused by the outcry of their dog, who with the flames crackling around him continued to bark outside their bedroom door until he himself fell unconscious. Our readers wanted to know the name of the dog, and we failed to get it.

Since it is better late than never, we publish the desired data here-with. The hero is a black Pomeranian named "Rowdy" and he is a very fine dog indeed. None the worse for his experience, after being revived by a fire department inhalator, he is now as lively as ever.

We were mildly surprised yesterday morning to receive a report that a young Arlington girl had been a singer on the Gloria hour over station WHDH last Sunday afternoon. We doubt not that the young lady can sing beautifully, but her selection, as reported to us, was "Scatterbrain."

We consider it most appropriate that during Youth Week at the Park Ave. Congregational church the program will include "Fireman Save My Child." Heaven forbid that the 40's see a return of Flaming Youth.

Bob Battis of the Arlington High School hockey team and his elder brother, Floyd Battis both figured in the news last week, but Floyd's was the more fortunate appearance. His engagement was announced, while in a freak accident Bob severed the main artery in his thigh with his own skate during the Cambridge Latin game. Young Bob, however, is recovering.

Arthur Blanchard was credited with saving Battis' life after that bloody accident. In a few seconds he had torn off his shirt and applied an effective tourniquet, stopping the gushing wound until a professional tourniquet arrived. Blanchard, incidentally, is a very fine athlete, starring on the gridiron and diamond as well as on the ice. Now the question comes: is Blanchard a quick thinker because athletics have sharpened his mental processes, or is he a star athlete because he is an instinctive thinker?

Congratulations to Mr. and Mrs. Augustus Mazzocca, parents of Arlington's all-girl orchestra of seven pieces. Mrs. Mazzocca has at least fulfilled a twenty-two-year-old ambition for Gus and presented him with a son and heir. We imagine that there has been much sound of brass around the Mazzocca household this week and doubt not that the lusty addition can already hit high C. Now Gus can throw away the directions.

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## (Correspondence)

December 29, 1939

To the Editor:

The Arlington Advocate has performed an important public function in lending its valuable cooperation for the success of the 1939 Christmas Seal Sale. As the campaign draws to a close, in the name of those who have worked so faithfully for its successful conclusion, I extend heartfelt thanks.

One of the important objectives of this campaign was to direct public attention to the ever-present problem to tuberculosis, the nature of the disease and the vital necessity of prevention, as well as cure.

Without the generous assistance of your paper, this objective could not have been attained.

The whole-hearted response of the community to our appeal is evidence enough, but we feel we would be derelict in our duty if we did not call attention to the helpfulness of the Arlington Advocate. You have, indeed, fought the good fight, and we are grateful beyond expression.

MARGARET ROBERTS,  
Executive Secretary.

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Weekly Excerpts from Letters on File in Our Office

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ARLINGTON 3-2820What is Democracy?  
Asks Norman Talcott

Editor, The Advocate:

I was interested in your editorial, "Propaganda for Democracy," and in your quotation showing what Garet Garrett, director of public relations for General Motors, thinks democracy is. But after finishing what Mr. Garrett had to say I was moved to comment, in the words of Mr. Old Timer in Fibber Magee's program—"That's purty good, Johnnie, but it ain't the way I heered it."

We boast our devotion to American democracy, but go around and ask a number of people what they mean by democracy and see if you aren't startled. A few people will admit right off that they do not believe in democracy. They will tell you that this country was never intended for a democracy but for a republic. Some of them may be of the real, old American stock and some may be sympathizers with the German-American Bund. A Communist or two, if you know any, in

15 years I have never met but one man who admitted to being a Communist may burst out laughing when you say "democracy."

But all of these constitute only a tiny fraction of the population. The rest will eulogize democracy, but will bewilder you by the diversity of their definitions.

Many, like Mr. Garrett, will confuse democracy with modern capitalism.

In one place where I lived democracy, to some of the very wealthy residents, meant slapping the butler on the back.

Some think that democracy means, do what the boss says, just as an English speaker once said, after describing how the signing of

A WISH FOR THE NEW YEAR

By EARL A. RYDER

If we could wrap up all the strife  
That gathers through the year,  
And with the twelfth month's closing day  
Could make it disappear,  
Methinks twould ease the heavy load  
That every man must bear,  
And bring sweet peace and happiness  
To humans everywhere.

If we could start the New Year's Day  
And not face crime and war,  
And grievous misery and want  
Close by at every door,  
What comfort and what joy there'd be,  
How rich our lives would be  
With better health and more success  
And more prosperity.

Come, let's bring out the Golden Rule,  
And make our pledge anew  
That it will be our guiding light  
Each day the whole year through;  
Come, let's begin to trust Him now,  
And blend into our days  
The wisdom that He teaches us,  
And earn His highest praise.

Arlington, Mass.

January 1, 1940.

## (Correspondence)

151 Highland Ave.  
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December 27, 1939.

Arlington Advocate  
13a Medford St.  
Arlington, Mass.

Gentlemen,  
At this time the writer would like to thank the Arlington Advocate for their very generous advertising during my year as lecturer of Arlington Grange. It certainly was very nice to print in your issues my articles and I appreciate it very much.

In behalf of Arlington Grange I would like to say, Thank You.

Sincerely,  
ELSIE K. LESLIE,  
Lecturer of Arlington  
Grange during 1939.

## Recent Births

DEC. 30—A daughter to Mr. and Mrs. Edwin James Rivalis (Emma Marie Vschon), 15 Edmund road, at Symmes Arlington Hospital.

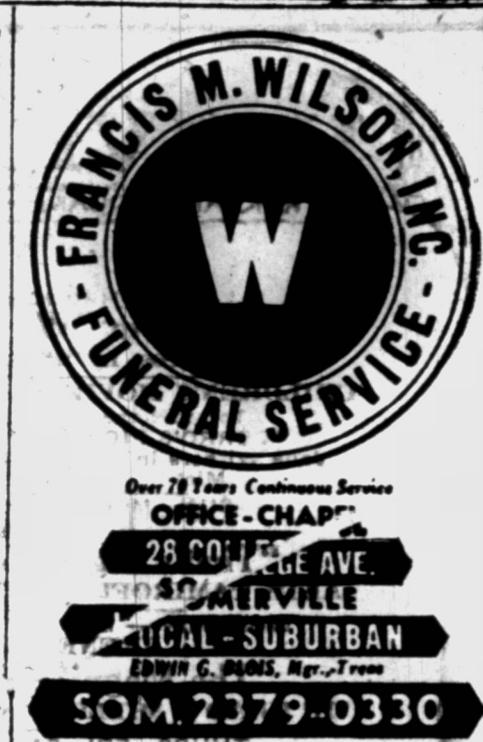
DEC. 31—A son to Mr. and Mrs. Louis Warren Holloway, (Mary Katherine Thompson) 32 Church Hill avenue, at Symmes.

DEC. 31—A son to Mr. and Mrs. George Vallas, (Georgia George) 374 Western avenue, Brighton, at Symmes.

President Roosevelt appoints Charles Edison, son of the great inventor, as Secretary of the Navy.

A New York Republican National Committee man, hails Representative Joseph W. Martin of Massachusetts as "the ablest Congressman of them all" and predicts Martin as the compromise Republican nominee for President "if the leading Presidential candidates come to a deadlock" at the convention.

The Federal Government obtains 41,808 square feet of land bounded by Stuart street, Trinity place and Clarendon street as the site for the new Back Bay post-office, to cost \$2,800,000.



Magna Charts brought freedom to England—"And now we all can do as we please—as long as we do as we're told."

Some think democracy means saluting the flag and letting the power companies do anything they want to.

Some think democracy means higher pay for the bricklayers' union.

Some think it means voting the Democratic ticket.

Some think it means voting the Republican ticket.

Some think it means, "Trade in Arlington."

Down in Cambridge which, geographically at least, is a part of the United States, some of the City Council ardently defend democracy, and think it can be preserved by forbidding the circulation of any printed matter containing the words, "Lenin" and "Leningrad."

Such people would stop evil-doing by banning mention of the devil. And their understanding of democracy must be so small, and their faith in it so weak, that they believe it will fall immediately that the public learns there is a different political system in the world.

America's Town Meeting of the Air recently offered prizes for the best essays on, "What American Democracy Means to Me," and has received 12,000 essays. This is an excellent idea, for by such means we might be able to find out what Americans think American democracy means, and finally arrive at a sort of least common denominator of all definitions, upon which everyone could agree.

Right now I suggest that the Advocate start a prize contest on "What American Democracy Means to Me," open to readers of all ages but appealing particularly to the younger generation. And I would print, not only the winning essays, but all that were submitted—even if it took a year.

NORMAN TALCOTT.

Lexington, Mass.

Ed: We'd be delighted.

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General Wallenius, in command of the Finnish troops in the north, is effectively carrying out his motto

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Upholding broad power claimed by the N. L. R. B., the Supreme Court sustains a board order directing the complete disestablishment of an independent union of employees of the Falk Corporation of Milwaukee.

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Uncle Sam protests Britain's seizure of a mail ship destined for Germany.

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MORTGAGEE'S SALE OF  
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By virtue and in execution of the power of sale contained in a certain mortgage given by Francis McDermott, widow, to the Merchants Co-operative Bank, dated March 24, 1932 and recorded with Middlesex South District Deeds, Book 5638, Page 121 of which mortgage the undersigned is the present holder for the reasons and the conditions of said mortgage and for the purpose of foreclosing the same will be sold at public auction at THREE o'clock P. M. on the TWENTY-FIFTH day of January, 1940, on the premises hereinafter described, all and singular the premises described in said mortgage, to wit: "The land with the buildings thereon, situated in Arlington, in the County of Middlesex and Commonwealth of Massachusetts, being a certain twenty-four acre plan recorded with Middlesex South District Deeds, Book of Plans 242, Plan 5, bounded and described as follows:— Southeasterly by Gaylord Street, forty-five feet; Southwesterly by a road, twenty-five feet on said plan, ninety feet; Northwesterly by Lot Thirty-one, on said plan, forty-five feet; and Northeasterly by Lot Twenty-three, on said plan, ninety feet. Containing 480 square feet of land.

Building on the said land will be conveyed to me by Benjamin J. Gott by said date June 8, 1926, recorded with said Deeds, Book 4979, Page 451, and being hereby conveyed subject to the restrictions herein referred to."

Said premises will be sold subject to all restrictions, and to any and all unpaid taxes, tax titles, and municipal liens or assessments.

For further particulars inquire of Kenneth G. MacQuarrie, 1940 Old South Parish, Boston.

\$300.00 will be required to be paid in cash by the purchaser at the time and place of sale. Other terms will be announced at the sale.

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Present holder of said Mortgage,  
by Albert E. Duffill, Treasurer.

Dr. Feagan to Lead  
Springfield Service

On Sunday, January 7th, at 4 p.m., the Baptists of Springfield are uniting at the Park Memorial Baptist church for a union New Year consecration service. Dr. Grady Darwing Feagan, pastor of the Arlington First Baptist church, has been selected to bring the message. His subject will be "The Present Crisis Facing the Christian Church." The meeting is under the auspices of the Springfield Baptist Missionary Union, of which Dr. Albert J. Vachon is the secretary.

Large Congregation  
Greets Dr. S. A. Eliot

A large congregation greeted Dr. Samuel A. Eliot, guest-preacher at the Founders' Day Service at the First Parish last Sunday. Dr. Eliot preached a strong sermon from the words of Ezekiel, "I sit where they sat." He brought the greetings of the First Church in Cambridge, which is the Mother Church of the First Parish in Arlington.

Rev. John Nicol Mark extended the right hand of fellowship to twenty-five new members of the parish.

Miss Barbara Birch of 96 Commonwealth of Massachusetts LAND COURT  
To Town of Arlington, a municipal corporation located in the County of Middlesex, and said Commonwealth:—Kathleen R. O'Brien, Leo A. Water, D. Water, Clarence R. Stone, Glad H. Stone, Ivar Olson and Irma Olson, of Arlington, in said County of Middlesex; the said Commonwealth of Massachusetts; The Boston Five Cents Saving Bank, a duly existing corporation having its place of business in Boston, in the County of Suffolk and said Commonwealth; and to all whom it may concern:

Whereas, a petition has been presented to said Court by the Plaintiff, Plaintiff P. Mark, of 96, and the Defendants of said Arlington, to register and confirm their title in the following described land:

A certain parcel of land with the buildings thereon, situated in said Arlington, bounded and described as follows:

Northwesterly by Fisher Road 102 feet; Easterly by the junction of said Fisher Road and Fayette Street 35.33 feet; Southeasterly by said Fayette Street 102 feet; Southwesterly by land now or formerly of Ivar Olson et al and Clarence R. Stone et al 125 feet; and Northwesterly by lands now or formerly of Kathleen R. O'Brien and Leo A. Water et al, in said County of Middlesex.

The above-described land is shown on a plan filed with said petition and all boundary lines are claimed to be located on the ground as shown on said plan.

If you desire to make any objection or defense to said petition you or your attorney must file a written appearance and an answer under oath, setting forth clearly and specifically your objections or defense to each part of said petition, in the office of the Probate Court of said County in Boston, at the corner of Court and Brattle Streets, on or before the fifteenth day of January next.

Unless an appearance is so filed by or for your defense will be recorded, the said petition will be taken as confessed and you will be forever barred from contesting said petition or any defense entered thereon.

Witness, JOHN E. FENTON, Esquire, Judge of said Court, this fifteenth day of January in the year nineteen hundred and thirty-nine.

Attest with seal of said Court.

(Seal) CHARLES A. SOUTHWORTH, Recorder  
Albert E. Lewis, Esq., 44 School St., Boston, For the Petitioners. 21dec3w

MORTGAGEE'S SALE OF  
REAL ESTATE

By virtue and in execution of the power of sale contained in a certain mortgage given by Dennis Connolly, Executor under the Will of Mary Connolly, late of Boston, deceased, dated January 20, 1937, and recorded with Middlesex South District Deeds, Book 6137, Page 333, of which mortgage the undersigned is the assignee and trustee hereinbelow named, in said building, being Lot 98 on said plan entitled "House lots at Arlington, Massachusetts," dated February, 1909, H. S. Adams, Civil Engineer, recorded with the Probate Court (So. Dist.) Deeds as Filed Plan 658 and bounded:

SOUTHEASTERLY by Grafton Street as shown on said plan, fifty-five (55) feet;

SOUTHWESTERLY by Lot 97 as shown on said plan, ninety (90) feet;

NORTHWESTERLY by Lot 71 as shown on said plan, fifty-five (55) feet; and

NORTHEASTERLY by Lot 99 as shown on said plan, ninety (90) feet. Containing 490 square feet according to said plan. Subject to restrictions of record so far as same are now in force and applicable.

Subject to a mortgage held by the Arlington Co-operative Bank, dated December 1, 1938, and recorded with said Deeds, Book 5900, Page 610.

Said premises will be sold subject to any and all unpaid taxes, tax titles and other municipal liens, if any there be.

Three Hundred (\$300.00) Dollars will be required to be paid by the purchaser at the time and place of sale, in full, in ten (10) days after the date of sale.

CHARLOTTE L. NELLIGAN, Assignee and present holder of said Mortgage. 4jan3w

Commonwealth of Massachusetts  
Probate Court.

Middlesex, ss.  
To all persons interested in the trust estate under the will of Gardner S. Cushman late of Arlington in said County, deceased, for the benefit of Marion B. Garvin and others.

The trustees of said estate have presented to said Court for allowance their twentieth to twenty-third accounts, inclusive.

If you desire to object thereto you or your attorney should file a written appearance in said Court at Cambridge before ten o'clock in the forenoon on the twenty-second day of January 1940, the return day of this citation.

Witness, John C. Legrat, Esquire, First Judge of said Court, this twenty-third day of December in the year one thousand nine hundred and thirty-nine.

Loring P. Jordan, Register. 21dec3w

Commonwealth of Massachusetts  
Probate Court.

To all persons interested in the estate of Mary E. Rand late of Arlington in said County, deceased.

A petition has been presented to said Court for probate of a certain instrument purporting to be the last will of deceased by Whitfield W. Johnson of Woburn, in said County, praying that he be appointed executrix thereof, without giving a surety on his bond.

If you desire to object thereto you or your attorney should file a written appearance in said Court at Cambridge before ten o'clock in the forenoon on the eighth day of January, 1940, the return day of this citation.

Witness, John C. Legrat, Esquire, First Judge of said Court, this fifteenth day of December in the year one thousand nine hundred and thirty-nine.

Loring P. Jordan, Register. 21dec3w

Commonwealth of Massachusetts  
Probate Court.

To all persons interested in the estate of Carl Nattson otherwise known as Carl A. M. Nattson late of Arlington in said County, deceased.

A petition has been presented to said Court for probate of a certain instrument purporting to be the last will of deceased by Jennie Nattson of Arlington in said County, praying that she be appointed executrix thereof, without giving a surety on her bond.

If you desire to object thereto you or your attorney should file a written appearance in said Court at Cambridge before ten o'clock in the forenoon on the nineteenth day of January, 1940, the return day of this citation.

Witness, John C. Legrat, Esquire, First Judge of said Court, this twenty-first day of December in the year one thousand nine hundred and thirty-nine.

Loring P. Jordan, Register. 4jan3w

# Church Services

ARLINGTON HTS. METHODIST  
CHURCH

Westminster Ave. and Lowell St.  
Rev. Richard T. Broeg, Minister  
Morning Worship, 10:45. Sermon by the pastor. Music by the vested choir under the direction of Louis E. Danton. At this service a special offering will be taken for Finnish Relief.

Evening Worship, 7 p.m. A service of gospel hymns with special music by the vested choir. The pastor will preach the sermon.

Sunday School sessions: Int. Dept., 9:30; The Balsor Class for Young People, 9:45; The Beginners and Kindergarten Dept., 10:45; The Primary, Junior and Senior Depts., 12:10 p.m. The Harling Men's Class, 12:10 p.m.

The Int. Epworth League, 5 p.m. in Memorial Hall; The Sr. Epworth League, 5:30 p.m. in the auditorium.

Thursday, 8 p.m., Prayer Meeting and Bible Study. Theme: Rev. 2:18-29—"The Virtue and Vice of Thyatira."

Friday, 7:30, Rehearsal of the junior choir; 8:30, rehearsal of the senior choir.

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FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH

Grady D. Feagan, A. M., Ph.D., Minister

Walter Howe, Mus. B., A. A. G. O. Organist and Choir Director

The opening weeks of the new year promise to be very busy and eventful for the First Baptist church. We are now closing our special week of prayer services on Friday night, January 5th. Special music, a stirring message, and a period of silent, directed meditation invite your presence at this Friday service.

On Sunday morning the pastor will preach his annual New Year sermon. The subject will be "How to Begin at the Beginning." The full choir will sing. Sunday School at noon with thriving, well-organized classes for all. Guest speaker for the men.

Junior Young People meet at 5 p.m. Intermediates at 6. Seniors at 6. Adelphians at 7:30. Timely discussions. Warm fellowship.

On next Friday evening the pastor will speak on "The Happy Couple." He will seek to portray those qualities which enter into a successful adjustment between mates. He believes that the ever-mounting disintegration of the American home calls for very definite treatment of the marriage relationship by the minister. How may one be happy tho' married?

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THE FIRST CONGREGATIONAL  
PARISH

The Unitarian Church

Rev. Frederic Gill, D. D., Minister Emeritus

Rev. John Nicol Mark, A. M., Minister

Church School meets at 9:30 a.m.

Kindergarten at 10:30 a.m. Parents may bring young children from three years up and be able to attend the morning service of worship.

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ARLINGTON HEIGHTS BAPTIST  
CHURCH

Westminster and Park Avenues

Rev. Walter E. Bridge, A. B., B. D., Pastor

Sunday, January 7

10:00 a.m., Pre-prayer service in Ladies Parlors in charge of Mrs. B. C. Cameron.

10:30 a.m., Morning Worship. Rev. Bridge will preach on "Forward with Christ in 1940." The vested choir, directed by Mrs. T. L. Woodworth, with Mrs. E. L. Reed at the organ, will sing. An illustrated talk for the Junior church.

12:10 p.m., Bible School. Walter N. MacFarlane, superintendent. The Beginners and Primary departments meet at 10:30 a.m. All other departments at noon. The Ladies Bible Class is taught by Miss Leona Thietlen, and the A. F. G. Brotherhood by the pastor.

6:00 p.m., Senior Young People's Forum. Speaker, Rev. Stephen Webster, Episcopal chaplain in Boston Psychopathic Hospital.

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ST. JOHN'S CHURCH  
(Episcopal)

Pleasant St. and Lombard Rd.

Rev. Charles Taber Hall, Rector

8 a.m., Holy Communion.

9:30 a.m., Church School.

11:00 a.m., Confirmation by Bishop Sherrill.

6:30 p.m., Young People's Fellowship. Speaker, Mother Ursula of Wuchang, China.

8:00 p.m., Senior Young People's Forum. Speaker, Rev. Stephen Webster, Episcopal chaplain in Boston Psychopathic Hospital.

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ST. JAMES' CHURCH

Cor. Mass. Ave. and Appleton St.

Regular Services

Masses: Sunday at 6:30, 7:30,

For all members of the Sunday School.

Confessions: Saturdays, eve of Holy Days and First Fridays, 4 to 6 p.m. and 7:30 to 9 p.m. For girls of Sunday School, third Friday, after school; for boys, fourth Friday, after school. Communion the following Saturday at 8:00 a.m.

General Communion for women of the parish, first Sunday of the month; for men, the second Sunday of the month.

Societies: Sodality of the Blessed Virgin Mary, every Tuesday evening at 7:45.

Time of meetings of St. James' Men's Club and St. James' Dramatic Society will be announced on previous Sundays.

Perpetual Novena to Our Sorrowful Mother, every Friday evening at 7:45. The congregation takes a very intimate part in all the prayers and hymns which make up a most impressive religious service.

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Coast Artillery "G" Battery  
To Hold Father and Son  
Night at South Army

On January the fifth at 8 p.m. the officers and men of Battery "G," 241st Coast Artillery Massachusetts National Guard will hold a Fathers' and Sons' Night at the South Army on Irvington street, Boston.

Sponsored in an attempt to familiarize the fathers of men now in the service with the functions of a unit of this type, it promises to be unique entertainment.

An interesting program has been arranged for the visitors consisting of an exhibition of artillery and infantry drill, moving pictures, music and song supplied by various talented members of the battery.

Refreshments will be served and a committee will be on hand to provide for the needs and pleasures of the visitors.

Capt. Edward Gallant, Lt. John Bogan, Lt. John Stone and Lt. Edwin Deagle will supervise the proceedings aided by committee members: Publicity, Eugene Mason and Lawton Kingsbury; invitations, Joseph F. Murphy; entertainment, Nicholas Sances and Joseph Connolly; refreshments, Edmund Cahill; programs, William Rosen.

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CHURCH OF OUR SAVIOUR  
(Episcopal)

Rev. Warren N. Bixby, Rector

Saturday, January 6

Feast of the Epiphany. 9:00 a.m., Holy Communion.

January 7



1. A personalized permanent.
2. A new, 1940 hair-do.
3. A series of rejuvenating facials.
4. Regular visits to my favorite beauty shop for manicures, shampoos, etc.

A \$2.00 discount on all permanents for 9.00 A. M. appointment.

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**TOWN BORROWS**  
\$400,000 AT .07%

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notes at their meeting Tuesday evening.

The selectmen opened the warrants for the annual town meetings of March 4 (election) and March 13 as well as the warrant for the special town meeting of March 13. Anyone desiring to insert an article in the warrant is reminded that the petition must be signed by ten registered voters in the case of the annual warrant and one hundred registered voters for the special warrant. The warrants will close January 29 at eight o'clock in the evening.

Daniel B. Tierney, chief of the Arlington Fire Department, was re-appointed forest warden by the selectmen Tuesday night.

The selectmen have renewed last year's coasting regulations with the exception that some streets used last year have been omitted as a safety measure. The hours of coasting as permitted on designated streets are nine to nine on Saturdays and holidays, and three to nine in the evening on other days. The streets reserved in whole or in part for coasting are Churchill avenue, Coleman road, Crescent Hill avenue, Eastern avenue, Florence avenue, Inverness road, Iroquois road, Killythe road, Linwood street and Ronald road.

**LINCOLN SYMBOL OF COMMUNITY DRIVE**

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compassion softening his rugged features.

Leaders of the 1940 Fund, headed by General Chairman Francis C. Gray, chose the Great Emancipator as the campaign theme in recognition of the 75th anniversary of his death. His enlightened words, "Teach hope to all, despair to none," it was felt, express the aim of Greater Boston's Community Fund in seeking support for more than 175 hospitals, health and social service agencies annually caring for some 300,000 metropolitan residents.

Conceived by Donald T. Carlisle, Boston advertising man and chairman of the fund's publicity committee, the poster was executed by Richard F. Bartlett and John H. Cook.

The Lincoln theme is further carried out by the campaign movie, "By the People, for the People," now being shown throughout Greater Boston.

**HASTINGS ENTERTAIN FOR SENATOR BRIDGES**

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Bridges (R) of New Hampshire was the guest of honor.

Senator Bridges was given a rousing send-off as he starts his campaign for the Republican presidential nomination, as prominent Republicans from nearby towns and cities were noted among the guests. The Senator is a straightforward, honest New Englander, interested only in improving conditions in the United States. In an informal conversation with this reporter, he charged that the total cost of the W. P. A. in 1938 averaged \$994 for each W. P. A. worker, of which the recipient received but \$600 in wages. Administration costs are limited to \$70 a year, leaving \$224 of the \$994 for each man cost unaccounted for, which he insisted, "went to grease the New Deal political machinery." He would return relief to the states, restore confidence by taking the "Government out of competition with private industry;" he would overhaul the tax structure so business will not be paralyzed, amend the N. L. R. A. Act, and aim to balance the Federal budget.

Mr. and Mrs. Hastings were assisted in receiving by their daughters, Miss Helen and Mrs. Haleem Malouf.

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**LOCAL POLICE CATCH FEDERAL FUGITIVE**

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Just before eight o'clock the druggist called police headquarters giving the description of a man who had just snatched a camera in time to jump into a street car headed for Harvard Square. Officers Riley and Duggan were in a scout car and received orders by radio to overtake the street car, recover the camera and arrest the suspect. They were able to carry out their orders at Pleasant street and brought the man to headquarters where he was held until yesterday as a suspicious person. Fingerprints showed that the arrested man was wanted on a Federal capias for breaking parole and that he had already piled up a long record. He was turned over to the court for disposal.

**KIDDERS CELEBRATE 61st ANNIVERSARY**

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gregational church, where, as long as health permitted, they contributed in not a small way to its growth and influence in this community.

Mr. Kidder's life has been one of importance in the newspaper profession, as well as in the fraternal organizations with which he is affiliated. Mrs. Kidder has also in the past contributed her talents to the enjoyment of many, and her interest in the forming of the Arlington Woman's Club has not been forgotten.

While neither Mr. or Mrs. Kidder are in robust health, they enjoy to an unusual degree the calls from friends and there were not a few who came on December 31 to offer congratulations. Mr. and Mrs. Kidder are still keenly interested in all the activities not only of this town, but of the world. The Kidders' elder son, Herbert Kidder, who is in Florida this winter, sent a box laden with the fruits of this southern clime.

**Legion Auxiliary Brings Joy to Needy Children**

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children each received a bag of hot buttered pop corn, several boxes of candy, and ice cream and cake. After the presentation of several more substantial gifts, all went home with arms loaded and hearts full.

Cakes for this party were donated by Mrs. Mae Donahue, president; Mrs. Jennie Kurrus, Mrs. Betty Coelsch, Mrs. Marion Keefe and Mrs. Anna Buckley. Mrs. Marietta Conway assisted in distributing the gifts to the children. This party was under the direction of Mrs. Anna Buckley, of 18 Jean road, child welfare chairman for the Arlington Auxiliary of the American Legion.

**TO LECTURE ON BRAZIL TO FIRST BAPTIST MEN**

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ing mid-winter season for the organization, which is one of the largest of its kind in the state. Special Sundays will be announced as well as socials. Dr. Grady D. Feagan, class teacher, is preparing talks of vital interest.

The first social will be held Tuesday evening in the banquet hall of the church. An illustrated lecture will be given by William D. Gooch of Winchester, on Brazil. Mr. Gooch is a master in the art of photography and personally took the pictures that he will show. Most of the pictures were taken within the past year and are timely, showing industrial life as well as the scenic beauties of this country. All men are invited to attend. A buffet lunch will be served by Roger Jenks and his committee. There will be no charge or collection.

Much interest is being manifested in the service to be held in the church auditorium, Sunday evening, January 21, at 7:30. This service is to give the people of Arlington an opportunity to enjoy this class' program as given each Sunday noon, as well as to give the women of the church an opportunity to attend. The class orchestra of 20 pieces will be featured. Assistant pastor, Harry Kruener will give an organ recital. Dr. Feagan is to give a typical men's talk on "The Church of Tomorrow."

**Christmas Tree Fires**

There were two Christmas tree fires to mar the holidays, but fortunately neither did much damage. Friday afternoon an alarm sounded from box 243 for a fire in the second floor apartment of Anna Muzza at 260 Massachusetts avenue, the blaze being quickly extinguished after the arrival of the fire department.

Monday afternoon the Christmas tree in the home of George E. Rogers of 39 Lakehill avenue caught fire, and alarm was sounded from box 28. Both these fires were caused by short circuits.

**Water Damage**

Heavy water damage was caused Monday afternoon when a pipe burst on the upper floor at 106 Paul Revere road and water ran all through the house during the absence of the residents. A neighbor notified the police that water was coming out the front door, and the police shut the water off at the meter.

**Strange Accident**

Eston Flores, 25, of 107 Medford street was the victim of a strange accident last Saturday night while watching a driver trying to extricate his car from the snow. The spinning wheel kicked up something hard, which struck Flores in the face necessitating treatment at Symmes Arlington Hospital.

**ARLINGTON ADVOCATE**

THURSDAY, JANUARY 4, 1940

**Special Prices Before Stock Taking!**

**JANUARY 5 to 15th**

	REG.	SPEC.
Linen Luncheon Cloths . . .	\$1.98 - \$1.69	
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	\$1.50 - \$1.29	
Bureau Scarfs . . . . .	REG. \$1.00 - 79c	SPEC. 59c - 49c
Ladies Silk Night Gowns . . .	REG. \$1.98 - \$1.69	SPEC.
Boys All-Wool Sweaters . . .	REG. \$1.98 - \$1.69	SPEC.
Ladies House Dresses . . . .	REG. \$1.00 - 79c	SPEC.

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**REX POST RECEIVES HONORARY APPOINTMENT**

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U. S. W. V.

This honor is conferred upon only one veteran in the United States outside the organization, for outstanding performance in veterans' affairs.

Mr. Post joined a company of ex-Signal Corps men formed by the late Commander-in-Chief Thomas F. Clark of the U. S. W. V. in 1906, which disbanded in 1907. It was not until 1928 that he joined the General S. C. Lawrence Camp 30, U. S. W. V. in Medford. In December of that year, he was elected junior vice commander, and in 1929, secretary to Vicinity Council No. 1, U. S. W. V. to fill a vacancy. Shortly after his election to the office of junior vice commander, he began editing a column in the "Medford Mercury" with special articles, which he continued to edit until the early part of 1931.

In the fall of 1929, he joined Medford Post 1012, V. F. W., and in December was elected commander of Lawrence Camp. At installation, he was presented with a gold, diamond studded V. F. W. lapel button by the Comrades of Post 1012. In February, 1930, he became a member of the then Camp Vigan, now Vigan Outpost, of the National Society-Army of the Philippines in Boston. The office of secretary-treasurer was split, and Mr. Post appointed secretary. He was elected secretary Vicinity Council No. 1, in February. Later that year, he was elected junior vice commander of Post 1012 V. F. W., and in December, became a member of Paco Lair No. 2, Military Order of the Serpent, and the Veteran Signal Corps Association.

In 1929, the late Charles F. McCarthy, department commander U. S. W. V., and ex-Mayor of Marlboro, appointed him national aide-de-camp to the commander-in-chief, for his work on publicity. He was re-appointed by Major General Walter E. Lombard, department commander, in recognition of the large number of men in line during the Centennial parade September 28, 1930. General S. C. Lawrence Camp advanced him to the office of commander for 1930.

In 1931, he was elected vice-president of Vicinity Council No. 1 and in 1932, transferred to the Sergeant Frank E. Draper Camp 41, U. S. W. V., Somerville, was elected delegate to the Council, and the council advanced him to the office of president. During his second year in the Draper Camp, he was historian. He was Thrice Infamous Inferior GuGu (secretary) in 1933 and 1935, serving as datto (vice-president) in 1934. Paco Lair.

In June 1933, he transferred to the Corporal William Power Kenibbs Camp 66, U. S. W. V., Arlington, and was appointed historian, the office of which he still holds. In 1933, Camp Vigan elected him liaison officer to handle appeals on pension cases with headquarters in the Veterans Administration, Boston. His previous work on pension matters for members of the U. S. W. V. in Medford, fitted him for that office. This work was discontinued after one year due to restoration of pensions, and Camp Vigan immediately elected him commander. He was third commander of the camp.

At the annual convocation of the Military Order of the Serpent held in Holyoke, in 1937, he was elected grand datto (vice-president) and the following year at Plymouth, was elected to head the organization in Massachusetts as Grand GuGu Grandissimo. Upon retirement last June, he accepted appointment as Grand Thrice Infamous Inferior GuGu. He was appointed press reporter by President Thomas T. Boyd of Vicinity Council No. 1, Command W. Kennedy Mason, of the Corporal William Power Kenibbs Camp 66, and is also in that capacity in the M. O. S. He still contributes articles to the Boston, Medford, Arlington, and Malden papers.

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**REGISTRATION MONTH AT TRINITY BAPTIST**

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their attendance at every service. In this way it is hoped that every member of the church will be present at sometime during the month and, if it is possible, to be there at every service.

The first Sunday of the month is Communion Sunday, and Dr. Baker, the pastor, will speak on the subject, "A Friendly Church." On the second Sunday Trinity Baptist participates in the annual pulpit exchange of Arlington churches. The third Sunday morning is given to Sunday School interests, when younger departments will meet at the hour of service, thus freeing parents to attend morning worship. A message on church and home will be given. The last Sunday is missionary Sunday, and the morning speaker is Rev. Ralph C. Ostergren of the Greater Boston City Mission Society.

The first three Sunday evenings are young people's, ladies and men's nights. The last Sunday evening is further devoted to missionary interests, when an outstanding feature is planned.

**Pension Group to Run Minstrel Show**

Through the combined efforts of members of National Old Age Pension Groups in Woburn, Malden, Cambridge and Arlington, a grand old-time minstrel show will be presented in American Legion Hall, Arlington, next Thursday evening, January 11, at 8 p. m., featuring Carl Moore and Ray Gerardin, WEEI radio stars and many other popular artists, including several members of the Arlington Group.

There will be 46 trained musicians, singers and dancers appearing on the program, under the direction of D. D. Towse of Woburn, well-known chorus and minstrel show director, and under the management of Leon H. Cutting of Cambridge, who for many years has been associated with musical productions.

There will be dancing following the show, with a fine orchestra furnishing the music. Everybody welcome.

**Dancers Entertain**

Many interesting features were presented by pupils from the Irene Marie Charron Studio at the meeting of Arlington National Pension Group #1, last Thursday evening in American Legion Hall. From tiny tots to the more advanced pupils, they were colorful and graceful and showed marked ability and excellent training. Refreshments were served free to all and each one of the children was presented with a gift.

William H. McMasters gave an interesting report of the convention of independent Pension Groups from many of the other States. Their united action will be a determined factor in the 1940 election, he said.

Mr. McMasters also told of the many inquiries he had, and the result of the debate with Dean Archer, of Suffolk University and Thomas Elliott on Social Security, on the "New England Talks it Over" program over WBZ network, under the Ford Hall Forum, Tuesday evening, December 26.

**HEIGHTS CHILDREN THANK ASSOCIATION**

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It seems that the association's board of directors took steps to provide skating on the Florence avenue playground just before Christmas, and with the whole-hearted cooperation of the town officials and King Winter, a rink was provided.

Then the children conceived the idea of thanking those responsible for the skating area, formed a committee, made up a petition, had all those skating on the area sign it, and then presented it to the board.

The moral of this story is: Who said children do not appreciate what is done for them?

**Plan "Fireman Save My Child" for Youth Week**

Rehearsals are now in progress for the melodrama, "Fireman, Save My Child!" to be presented by the Young People's Forum of the Park Avenue Congregational church.

The play is under the direction of Miss Florence Wilson. The cast includes the following: Chester Rubner, Mary Wylie, George S. Coburn, Jr., Dorothy Anifantis, Helen McAllister, Virginia Gavin and Robert Jord.

The play will be presented at the end of January during Youth Week.

**Contract at Mead's**

Mrs. J. Herbert Mead teamed with Mrs. David Shean, won top honors at the Friday evening weekly contract tournament held at the home of Mrs. Mead, 206 Appleton street. Second honors went to Mrs. Harold B. Wood and Miss Cartullo, while Harold B. Wood and his partner, Ralph Cartullo, won third honors.

Tuesday afternoon Mrs. Walter Lannefeld and Harold B. Wood received top honors. Mrs. Maude Baker and Mrs. Carl G. Fowler won second honors. Mrs. Alice Goland and Miss M. Cartullo teamed for third place.

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**Card of Thanks**

We wish to express our gratefulness to all our friends who in any way offered sympathy and assistance during our recent bereavement, including the Boston Webb Pressmen's Union, No. 3; Boston Post Press Room Chapels and employees; our neighbors and Trinity Baptist choir for their beautiful floral tributes.

The Family of the late

Freddy Champelovier



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